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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Negro who criminally assaulted a white woman near Altoona, Ga., was lynched by a mob near the scene of his crime. —— Russian officials deny report that Japs sunk several of their warships June 23d. —— A naval engagement between Japs and Russians was in progress yesterday near Port Arthur. —— Russian fleet from Vladivostok returned to that place undamaged. —— Yale won the eight-oared boat race from Harvard. —— Russians report severe fighting by land forces near Port Arthur, the enemy's squadron aiding in the attack. —— Gen. Kuropatkin reports the Japanese advancing slowly towards his east and south fronts; torrential rains are impeding operations. —— the Japanese were twenty miles from Liao-Yang at last accounts. —— The Japanese artillery with Kuroki's army is said to be commanded by an American. —— Two schemes have developed among the men gathering at St. Louis for the Democratic national convention; one is to secure Parker's nomination on the first or second ballot and the other is in favor of Cleveland with Gorman as an alternative. —— New York markets: Money on call easy at 1½@1½ per cent.; cotton quoted steady at 10.85c; flour was dull but steady; wheat—spot market steady, No. 2 red nominal; corn—spot steady, No. 2 53½c; oats—spot easy, mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 44@45c; rosin quiet, spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 1.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 78 degrees; 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .06; rainfall since first of the month to date, 0.6 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 13 9 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Considerable less rain than during the previous 24 hours; there have been showers in the Carolinas, Georgia and Tennessee, while generally fair weather has prevailed in the other States of the belt.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—For North Carolina: Fair Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds.

Port Almanac---July 2.

Sun Rises	4.46 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.20 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 33 M.
High Water at Southport	10.50 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.20 P. M.

Despite their teetotalism the Prohibitionists couldn't help taking a Swallow.

The elder statesman of the G. O. P. are tired but they are unable to sit down on the strenuous Roosevelt.

An alarming statement is made concerning former President Grover Cleveland's health. It was never better in his life!

Roosevelt is annoyed by the newspaper cartoons of him. What, then, will be his perturbation when he sees the cut of himself on the ceiling on the 8th of next November?

A man who has been persistently following Roosevelt was arrested at the White House and locked up the other day on the allegation that he was crazy. The grounds of insanity are admitted, gentlemen. A man who would follow Roosevelt is surely nutty.

The two legged whelp who cut the gas bag of Santos Dumont's airship at St. Louis justly deserves the pillory. With political gas bags ripe enough now to be pulled, the suffering republic will be indignant that the St. Louis ripper did not run amuck with them instead of jumping on the unoffending gas bag of an airship.

What strange things we see when we haven't got our gun. If there are men who insist on asking "Is it hot enough for you?" why don't they change the form of the interrogation to "Is the mercury sufficiently altitudinous to suit you?" or "Are you sufficiently amused with the calorificness of the temperature?"

The controversialists are now discussing the query, "Is woman retrograding?" We have no time to enter into an extenuated disquisition on this subject, but we can authoritatively state that whether woman is on the up grade or the down grade, it will be found that men are gravitating all the time, with woman as the centre of his gravitation.

Says the Atlanta *Constitution*: "It is barely possible that England and France had a little to do with the release of Citizen Perdicaris. Perhaps the administration claquers never thought of that." Yes, and with all of them on deck, Bandit Raisouli got his price and is laying for more pie. The Republican platform gives Raisouli risibilities that make his sides ache.

A dip in the ocean these hot afternoons is a pleasure beyond compare—car every half hour in the afternoon.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The hour for Sunday evening worship at the First Baptist church has been changed from 8 to 8:15 P. M.

— Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., last night closed a series of very successful meetings at Pearsall's School House, East Wilmington.

— Mr. E. O. Allen, formerly with the street car company as motorman and conductor, has opened a produce business at Fourth street market.

— The Board of Directors of the Carolina Insurance Co. have declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent., payable on and after July 5th, 1904.

— The monthly statement of the receipts and exports of cotton and naval stores at the port of Wilmington may be found in the commercial columns of to-day's STAR.

— The hour for the annual regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club, on July 4th, has been changed from 11 A. M. to noon, on account of the tide. Boats will report at 10.30 A. M., by order of Chairman W. F. Robertson, of the Regatta Committee.

— Manager E. O. Allen received received a telegram last night stating that owing to a member of the team's having been injured, it would be impossible for the Fort Caswell baseball team to come up for the game with Wilmington this afternoon as advertised.

— While the excursion from Wilson was returning Thursday night, near Warsaw some miscreant threw a brick into the train through an open window, striking a gentleman from Spring Hope on the shoulder but doing him no serious injury.

— The Market Street Giants, who proclaim themselves the "invincibles," and the Railroad Juniors, both of the city juvenile baseball league, will meet this afternoon in the regular league series, at Seventeenth and Markets treets. The Financiers and Seventh Street Rattlers will play at Seaside Park.

— Charlotte *Chronicle*: "Mrs. Frank O. Landis and children, who are staying with the father of Mrs. Landis, Col. Oliver H. Dockery, in Richmond county, will go to Wrightsville to-morrow to spend several weeks. From there they will go to Jackson Springs. They will not return to their home in Charlotte until December."

A GOOD WOMAN GONE.

Mrs. Emily Glisson, of Point Caswell, Entered Into Rest Thursday.

Mrs. Emily Glisson, the devoted wife of Mr. D. Glisson, of Point Caswell, and mother of Messrs. Daniel, David and B. F. Glisson, of Wilmington, passed away at the family home at Point Caswell, Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock after an illness of some time. She was a daughter of Mr. J. D. and Mrs. Caroline Larkins and was in the 55th year of her age. For 34 years she had been a consistent member of the Point Caswell Baptist church and exerted a great influence for good in the community. Her death is mourned by many. She leaves besides her husband, four sons and five daughters to mourn their loss.

The funeral was conducted yesterday from the church to which she was so tenderly devoted, the Rev. R. H. Hewlett officiating, and the remains were laid to the rest in the family burying ground. The grave was literally covered with flowers placed there by loving hands. The pallbearers were Messrs. James C. Boswell, G. G. Sherman, William Sherman, G. J. Moore, George Turner and J. H. Colvin.

Popular World's Fair Trips.

In several North Carolina cities parties are being made up for a trip to the St. Louis Exposition under an offer of the Seaboard Air Line to provide such parties with private Pullmans in whatever number is desired. One party, recently made up in Raleigh by Mr. John E. Ray, became so large that the S. A. L. has decided to run a special train for its accommodation leaving the Capitol City on the morning of July 18th. The idea should appeal to many Wilmington people, as the advantages are obvious and easily appreciated.

Many Excursions in July.

Another big excursion from Darlington, S. C., to Wilmington will reach here Wednesday, July 13th, going straight down the river on the steamer "Wilmington." The excursion returns the same day at 10 P. M. During the month of July the Consolidated Company has fifteen excursions booked for Wrightsville Beach. Others are booked for Carolina Beach, so that the number for the month will average about one a day.

Seashore Hotel Arrivals.

Among yesterday's arrivals at the Seashore Hotel were Mr. and Mrs. Watt Martin, of Winston; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Skinner, of Smithfield; Mrs. Bessie Powell Miller and Miss Annie Powell, of Atlanta; J. P. Leake, Rockingham; C. D. Harris, Raleigh.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice—Suburban freight.
Platt & Haar—Reduction sale.
Notice—Yachtsmen and others.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Fruit jars.
Seaboard Air Line—Reduced rates.
Carolina Ins. Co.—Dividend notice.
Mercer & Evans Co.—Fine footwear
Spend Fourth—Wrightsville Beach.
Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.
—For rent.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Engine—For sale at a bargain.
Wanted—Two travelling salesmen.

VERDICT NOT GUILTY.

Former Wilmington Business Man Yesterday Cleared of a Charge of Forgery.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Handwriting Experts on the Stand—End of Term Will be Reached To-day. No More Sessions Until Last of September—Notes.

Superior Court was engaged practically all day yesterday in the trial of Mr. John J. Kelly, upon a charge of forgery, of which he was acquitted within ten minutes after the jury retired. Mr. Kelly formerly conducted a furniture store on Market, between Front and Water streets, but sold a part or the whole of the stock some time ago to Mr. Sam Seigler. A part of the amount was paid to Mr. Kelly in cash and Seigler gave a due bill for the remainder. It was the due bill which Mr. Kelly was charged with raising from $128.90 to $178,90, substituting the figure seven for the two and changing the written specification of the amount in the body of the note from "twenty" to "seventy." Mr. Kelly sued Mr. Seigler on the note and it was; then that the latter preferred the charge of forgery. The case went to the grand jury several months ago and a true bill was found, but not until yesterday did the trial come up, making available the facts.

Mr. Kelly was represented at the trial by Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and J. O. Carr, Esq., and a plea of not guilty was at once entered. Seigler employed Brooke G. Empie, Esq., to assist Solicitor Duffy with the prosecution and the case was fought out strictly on its merits, resulting in a complete vindication of the defendant. The case was begun yesterday morning and continued without interruption until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Kelly went on the stand himself and told of the transaction with Seigler. The due bill, he said, was written by S. Seigler, Jr., a son of the prosecutor, and the alteration was made by young Seigler himself under circumstances like these: Mr. Seigler made a trade with Mr. Kelly for the furniture and was to pay $100 cash, the balance by notes and the papers were drawn up to that effect. Finally when the settlement came, Mr. Seigler said he could not pay the $100 but would pay $50 and the change was made by young Seigler in the presence of and by mutual consent of both parties. Inadvertently, he said, a receipt which was introduced to prove to the contrary, was not changed.

The prosecution introduced Mr. Seigler and his son to disprove what Mr. Kelly said. The defendant, however, introduced Col. Thos. Evans, Mr. Eugene S. Martin and Mr. W. L. Smith as handwriting experts. They testified to having examined the note under a powerful magnifying glass and in their opinion the changes were made by the same hand that originally wrote the note, with the same pen and same ink or the same grade of ink from another bottle. The attorneys for the defendant also pointed out that had Mr. Kelly been guilty of tampering with the note he would not have dared to sue upon it.

After a very clear charge by Judge Allen the jury retired and within ten minutes brought in a verdict of not guilty.

The only other case tried yesterday was that of a negro, Wm. Pope, charged with abandonment. A compromise having been reached, judgment upon Pope was suspended on payment of costs and the promise of defendant to make his wife a certain allowance each week.

Court will reassemble to-day to clear up any little odds or ends on the civil and criminal dockets, but an adjournment will likely be reached to-day. Judge Allen will leave to-night for his home in Kinston and Solicitor Duffy will go down to Catharine Lake for the Summer. There is no more court in the district now until the Duplin term late in August and none in New Hanover county until the last week in September. Solicitor Duffy in the meantime will enjoy a well-earned rest. Judge Allen will also have a brief rest, although being on another circuit, he will not have so long as the Solicitor. Judge Fred Moore, of Asheville, one of the most polished men on the bench and one of the very best judges of the Superior Court, is assigned to the Fall terms in this district.

Mr. Collier Accepts Clerkship.

Mr. Samuel P. Collier, who was on Thursday appointed clerk of the United States District and Circuit Courts in Wilmington to succeed the late Mr. W. H. Shaw, yesterday notified Judge Thos. R. Purnell of his acceptance and will enter upon the duties of his new office as soon as the required bond of $35,000 is executed. As stated in yesterday's paper, Mr. James K. Collier will be his father's deputy clerk and will be in charge of the office. The acceptance of Mr. Collier will require the surrender of his commissions as U. S. Commissioner and Referee in Bankruptcy, but he will continue to conduct his other interests of an unofficial character.

Dispensary Speaking To-Night.

Mr. W. C. Douglass, of Raleigh, will address an open-air meeting upon the dispensary issue at the intersection of Third and Market streets to-night. Tar barrels will be used to supplement the electric light on the corner. An effort is being made also to get the services of a band.

COMMITTED WITHOUT BAIL.

Frank Williams, Colored, Sent to Jail to Answer Burglary Charge in Superior Court—Preliminary Trial.

In the police court yesterday at noon Mayor Springer, after hearing evidence of a number of witnesses, held that there was probable cause in the case of Frank Williams, the negro charged with burglarizing the house of Mrs. C. H. Ganzer, on North Fourth street, early last Sunday night, and defendant was sent to jail without bond to appear for trial at the next term of Superior Court, which will not be held until the last week in September. City Attorney Bellamy conducted the prosecution, and the facts brought out were substantially the same as given in these columns yesterday morning in a news item regarding the arrest of Williams. The property stolen was a lady's gold watch, belonging to Mrs. Avant, a daughter of Mrs. Ganzer, and $7 in cash. The family was at church at the time and entrance was gained by forcing open a blind to one of the windows. It developed at the trial yesterday that one member of the household, who was absent when the others left for church, came home in the meantime and was seated on the porch awaiting the return of the others, while the burglary was going on. That condition raises a nice point of law as to whether the house was occupied at the time and whether the burglary was in the first degree, punishable by death, or in the second degree, for which the penalty is life imprisonment. Mrs. Ganzer, Mrs. Avant and another daughter of Mrs. Ganzer were present and testified at the hearing yesterday.

The evidence adduced at the hearing showed that Frank Williams, the defendant pawned, the watch to another negro named Charles Tyson for a small amount. Not feeling safe about the deal Tyson sold the time piece to a negro named McDonald. The latter tried to sell the watch to Mr. Koch, his employer, who runs a shingle mill. Having seen in the papers that a watch had been stolen from Mrs. Ganzer, Mr. Koch carried the watch to the party who lost it and it was positively identified by Mrs. Avant, at Mrs. Ganzer's. Williams said that he won the watch from another negro in a crap game in East Wilmington Sunday night.

GLORIOUS FOURTH AT THE BEACH.

Consolidated Company Preparing to Handle Immense Crowds—Attractions.

The Fourth of July on Wrightsville Beach this year will be a memorable one if the extent of preparations for that glorious event may be taken as an indication of what the celebration will really be. The annual regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club will be the chief attraction for many, while others will embrace the opportunities for fishing and other aquatic sports that will be offered. For the entertainment of those who care rather to watch than "do" there will be the usual display of fireworks and an added feature in the form of an automobile race on the beach. Then there will be the usual offering in music and dancing and an exhibition of moving pictures at night.

The crowds will be large and the Consolidated Company has resolved to handle them with all dispatch and promptness. To that end there will be a half-hour schedule of the trolley cars all day long, with a late trip, leaving the beach at midnight. To still further guard against the possibility of inadequate service a steam train has been chartered and will leave the Ninth and Orange street depot at 9:30 A. M., 3:30 and 7:30 P. M.; returning, leave the beach at 10:30 A. M., 4:30 and 9:30 P. M. The comfort and safety of the passengers will be looked after in every way possible.

WEEK-END DANCES AT SEASHORE.

Manager Hinton Places Restrictions for Protection of Guests, Friends, Etc.

The regular week-end dance at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, will be given to night. On account of the size of the ball room and the large and indiscriminate crowds which have been attending these week-end dances, Manager Hinton, in justice to his guests, residents on the beach and those who have received personal invitations, has found it necessary to provide a system of ball room checks admitting to the Saturday night dances. These checks will be given to all gentlemen registering at the hotel of that date. The ladies, of course, regular guests of the hotel, beach residents and those specially invited are always welcomed. The restriction is absolutely necessary, Mr. Hinton says, to the comfort of all those who have a right to expect the week-end dancing privileges of the hotel.

Beach Municipal Improvement.

Mayor John A. Arringdale is a stickler for the look of things at his popular resort town of Wrightsville Beach. It was through his instrumentality that the board walks were built. Now he has a force of hands at work cutting down the high sea weeds on the beach sand dunes between high-water mark and the sound. The improvement not only adds to the looks of things but is a great safeguard against fire. Chief of Police Wm. Sheehan is superintending the work.

Take the children to the Casino—25 cents round trip on trolley line for children under twelve years.—No charge for children under 5 years.

OFF TO SOUTHPORT.

Seventh Annual Encampment, Boys' Brigade of America, Begins This Morning.

GENERAL ORDER NUMBER 1.

Camp Sprunt Ready to Receive Enthusiastic Body of Young Soldiers for Their Summer Outing—Col. Walker Taylor in Charge.

The seventh annual encampment of the First Battalion, Boys' Brigade of America, the most enthusiastic body of young soldiers that ever went into the field, will begin this morning at "Camp Sprunt," on the garrison at Southport. Col. Walker Taylor, commanding the battalion, issued the first general order yesterday afternoon and at dawn to-day the tramp of the soldiers will be heard on the soft morning atmosphere, the battalion being ordered to assemble at its armory at 4 o'clock this morning and to march at once to the steamer "Wilmington" upon which it will embark at 5 o'clock for the camp grounds.

An advance guard composed of Messrs. A. A. Hergenrother, C. C. Loughlin, Alonzo Burriss and W. C. Davis went to Southport Wednesday and will have everything in readiness for the reception of the boys this morning at breakfast. The brigade is in splendid condition and prospects are highly favorable to a most successful outing. Col. Walker Taylor, as usual, will remain in camp with the boys. They are taught there self-reliance, regularity of habits, discipline and a hundred and one other things that make them better employes and better members of the family circle. The general order issued by Col. Taylor and a roster of the brigade is as follows:

Headquarters First Battalion North Carolina Boys' Brigade of America. Camp "Sprunt," Southport, N. C., July 2, 1904.

The seventh annual encampment of this Battalion will be formally opened at Camp Sprunt—(named in honor of Mr. James Sprunt as a slight token of our appreciation of his manifest interest and encouragement) this morning at 8 o'clock, and the following assignments are announced to be in effect during said encampment.

Captain Co. A—Wash W. King.
Captain Co. B—James W. Orrell.
Battalion Adjutant—W. Blackman.
Battalion Sergeant Major—Alonzo J. Burris.
Surgeon—Dr. R. H. Bellamy.
Bugler—Albert L. Dosher.
Hospital Stewart—James M. Hall.
Commissary Sergeant—A. A. Hergenrother.

These officers will be obeyed and respected accordingly. The following hours will be observed during the encampment:

Reveille	6.30 A. M.
Mess	7.00 A. M.
Roll Call	8.00 A. M.
Religious Exercises	8.30 A. M.
Mess	1.00 P. M.
Mess	6.00 P. M.
Tattoo	8.30 P. M.
Assembly	6.45 A. M.
Company Drill	7.30 A. M.
Sick Call	8.15 A. M.
Guard Mount	9.15 A. M.
Battalion Drill	3.30 P. M.
Dress Parade	6.30 P. M.
Taps	9.30 P. M.

The countersign will be issued daily from headquarters. One officer of the day; one sergeant, and as many corporals and privates as may be necessary, will be detailed daily for guard duty. The hours of bathing will be announced daily. All orders and signals will be issued from headquarters.

By order of
WALKER TAYLOR, Colonel Com'ding.
WALTER BLACKMAN, 1st Lieut. and Adjutant.

ROSTER BOYS' BRIGADE.

John S. Brittain,	Robert H. Orrell,
W. H. Blackman,	James W. Orrell,
John W. Brown,	Robert E. Presson,
John D. Biggs,	James A. Price,
G. W. Burriss,	Henry F. Quinn,
Leon Davis,	James F. Russ,
Albert L. Dosher,	Thos. C. Ramsey,
W. R. Dosher,	Harry O. Thomas,
E. P. Dudley,	Harry Walker,
Henry Fick,	E. C. Woodbury, Jr
G. R. Galloway,	Grover W. Hill,
L. A. Galloway,	W. M. Hodges,
James M. Hall,	M. M. Parker,
Percy O. Hall,	Adrian Elvington,
A. Hergenrother,	Walter C. Biggs,
H. A. Kure, Jr.,	Edgar P. Bryan,
W. W. King, Jr.,	E. M. Reynolds,
L. Hoyt Kennedy,	Walter C. Davis,
Joseph Loughlin,	Walter C. Benson,
C. C. Loughlin,	William F. Tilley,
John McAllister,	S. M. Leonard,
C. T. McKethan,	Dr. R. H. Bellamy.

THE WILMINGTON GUN CLUB.

Regular Weekly Club Shoot Yesterday Afternoon—Series of Interesting Matches for Fourth of July.

Brooke G. Empie, Esq., led the regular weekly trap shoot of the Wilmington Gun Club yesterday afternoon by a score of 46 out of a possible 50, though Mr. R. F. Warren was a close second with 45. A full list of the entries and scores is as follows:

W. G. Penny	30
R. R. Bellamy	27
R. L. Holmes	28
R. F. Warren	45
W. S. Johnson	30
G. H. Howell	31
J. H. Gore	41
W. Buckner	41
J. R. Williams	24
R. H. Bellamy	35
F. H. Russell	20
H. McL. Green	24
W. T. Mercer	13
G. S. Boylan	26
A. H. Harriss	26
B. G. Empie	46
J. T. King	33

The following visitors were extended the courtesies of the traps and scored as follows: Mr. Wilson, 26; Mr. Jackson, 14; Mr. Barclay Lodor, 35.

The fourth of July will be observed at the lodge with a big shoot, to which the Southport club has been invited and many of its members are expected. Some eight or ten matches between crack shots have been arranged and several club members will have opportunity to settle some pleasant differences that have sprung up.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Misses Isabella and Kate Pigford, of Clinton, are guests at The Orton.

—Miss Ida Garrett, of Fayetteville, is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

— Mr. B. C. Boney and wife and two children, of Wallace, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. B. F. Keith and children have gone to their country home at Keith, N. C., to spend the Summer.

— Miss Marion Mallett, of Fayetteville, who has been the guest of Mrs. R. Lee Holmes, has returned to her home.

—Edward M. Land, Kinston; G. A. Grimsley and P. D. Gold, Jr., of Greensboro, were registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Mrs. H. S. Fullwood, nee Miss Anna Mebane, of Savannah, is visiting the family of Capt. Jas. I. Metts, on Greenville Sound.

—Messrs. T. L. Whitney, John Meyers, W. S. Smith and A. P. Webb will leave this evening for a week at the St. Louis Exposition.

— Mr. E. H. Arnold, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A., returned yesterday from his vacation, most of which he spent in Charlotte.

— Miss Gertrude Bryan, of Scott's Hill, passed through the city yesterday on her way to Fayetteville, where she will be the guest of friends.

—Messrs. J. F. Smith, L. G. Tucker, J. K. Crump and Y. C. Atkinson left yesterday for New York and Coney Island to spend a week.

— Mr. Edwin Y. Wootten, with the Westinghouse Electric Company, at Pittsburg, Pa., is in the city on a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Edward Wootten.

— Mrs. W. I. Gore, Miss Julia Gore, Mrs. L. L. Pritchard and children and Mrs. Fred Owen and child went down to Southport yesterday to spend the Summer.

— Mrs. Fred Owen, wife of Chief Engineer Owen of the U. S. Revenue Cutter Service, now stationed on the Pacific coast, is here accompanied by her daughter on a visit to relatives.

—Mr. A. J. Barbour, who has been with the Cape Fear Lumber Co. in this city, for the past several years, will leave to-day for Newbern, having resigned his position in Wilmington.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were Mr. E. H. Williams, Washington, D. C.; Miss C. H. Fort, Messrs. Charles Williams, Louis L. Williams and Fred F. Williams, of Charleston, S. C.

— Raleigh *Post*: "Miss Janet Hawkins, of Ridgeway, arrived yesterday and is a guest at the home of Dr. A. B. Hawkins. She was accompanied by Miss Lucy Bridgers, of Wilmington, who is visiting Mrs. E. Burke Haywood.

— Mrs. Virginia Empie and Mrs. E. P. Bailey will leave Monday for New York, where they will be joined by Mr. Adam Empie and sail on Thursday for Europe. They will spend the Summer in the Shetland Islands as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Poisson.

HONOVER LODGE OF ODD FELLOWS.

Elective and Appointive Officers Installed Last Night--Social Session Followed.

Hanover Lodge No. 145, I. O. O. F. installed officers last night in their Hall (K. of P. rooms,) Marchison National Bank building, as follows:

N. G.—J. A. Jordan.
V. G.—J. O. Jones.
R. S.—S. G. Hall.
F. S.—C. F. Williams.
T.—W. H. Howell.
O. G.—M. C. Rayner.
I. G.—A. J. Hewlett.
War.—F. G. Dozier.
Con.—M. A. Robbins.
R. S. N. G.—E. H. Merritt.
L. S. N. G.—H. C. Russell.
R. S. V. G.—E. A. Adams.
L. S. V. G.—M. C. Huggins.
R. S. S.—E. H. Demeritt.
L. S. S.—C. McD. Jones.
Chap.—Jas. Livinsen.

The Lodge closed in a social session with refreshments. The affair was greatly enjoyed by a large number of Odd Fellows.

Wood Yard at the Beach.

The fuel problem at Wrightsville Beach has long been a perplexing one, not always that the temperature is so cool there that cottagers and hotel guests find it necessary to build fires by which to keep themselves warm, but that a great deal of wood is required to keep the culinary departments of the households going. Hitherto, wood has had to be freighted down from the city in small quantities and the rate was well nigh prohibitive. Now the Consolidated Company has opened a wood yard on the hammocks and fuel is hauled there in solid cars. An electrically driven saw cuts the wood into desired lengths and it is retailed to beach residents at wholesale prices, plus the cost of sawing. Happy idea, it was, to provide that convenience for the company's patrons.

Church Notices.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Divine services at 11.00 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sabbath School at 4:00 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. The public invited. Seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow, (Sabbath) afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. Seamen and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

First Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor. Preaching to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday School at 4:30 P. M. Prayer and Praise worship Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited to all services.

If you regard the comfort and happiness of your household you will get a gas range this Summer—not next.

SPEND
FOURTH OF JULY
at the
Beach.

YACHT RACES, FIREWORKS,
AUTOMOBILE RACES.

MUSIC AND DANCING.

Free Exhibition of Moving Pictures.

Schedule of Trolley Cars every half hour all day long. Last car leaves Beach at midnight. In addition to trolley cars a chartered train will leave Ninth and Orange streets at 9.30 A. M., 3.30 P. M. and 7.30 P. M., and returning leave the Beach at 10.30 A. M., 4.30 P. M. and 9.30 P. M. jy 2 2t

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Office of the Treasurer.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, duly called and held on May 19th, 1904, a dividend of two and one-half per cent. was declared on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on July 9th, 1904, to all stockholders as of July 1st, 1904. The transfer books will stand closed from July 1st to July 9th, both inclusive.

JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.

Wilmington, N. C., June 30th, 1904.
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Dividend Notice.

The Board of Directors of the Carolina Insurance Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent., payable on and after July 5th, 1904.

M. S. WILLARD, Secretary.
jy 2 3t

Notice.

On the Fourth of July the suburban freight car will make only one freight trip—the 10 A. M. trip.
jy 2 2t

Yachtsmen and Others.

The hour for the Annual Regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club, as called for July 4th, has been changed from 11 A. M. to 12 noon, on account of misunderstanding in regard to the tide. Boats will report at 10:30 A. M.

W. F. ROBERTSON, Ch'n. Regatta Committee.
jy 2 2t

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 2.

State Democratic Ticket.

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For Lieutenant Governor:
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Commissioner of Labor and Printing:
H. B. VARNER.
Corporation Commissioner:
S. L. ROGERS.
Commissioner of Agriculture:
S. L. PATTERSON.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

Leslie's Monthly Magazine, for July, is on our table. It is one of America's leading literary publications and is always up with the times. The table of contents is conspicuous for topics of practical interest, pleasant entertainment and instruction. Without mentioning in detail the numerous articles, we will say that one especially will be read with surpassing interest at this time. It is by Adam Bede, who writes of "Speaker and Leader"—Uncle Joe Cannon and John Sharp Williams. Bede is a Congressman from Minnesota, is a famous writer and keen humorist, known as "The Humorist of the House." He writes unique but splendid sketches of Uncle Joe and Cousin John, and they are rich as well as informing about two great men now in the public eye. Leslie's also contains a score of other valuable articles, literary comment, current topics and melange, in which there is more than ordinary interest. The illustrations are good, and by the way they include portraits of Uncle Joe and Cousin John, the former having been born in North Carolina and the latter sprung from North Carolina parentage. Address Frank Leslie Publishing House, 141-147 Broadway, New York.

Among the most highly prized of the magazines is the "Atlantic Monthly." We have in hand the July number and it is brim full of discussions of absorbing interest and special value. A contribution of special interest to the South is "Why Disfranchisement is Bad," by Archibald Grimke. Without stopping to refer to the extreme and rather novel view he takes of the question, we will say that he presents his argument in a most thoughtful and readable manner. Another article of very great interest is Washington in War Times, from the journal of Ralph Waldo Emerson. It is a verbatim copy of his notes when he lectured in Washington in 1862, and it is not necessary to say that his notes about Lincoln and others at that time possess a keen interest for readers. The contents of the number are extraordinarily attractive, and as usual we read about new books and literature in general. Address Houghlin, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

Pearson's easy to read Magazine for July is one of the best numbers that has come under our eye. The cover design is artistic and within is a table of contents to satisfy the most scrupulous taste. The articles are especially entertaining, and the wonder is that so much quality and quantity of matter can be produced at 10 cents. Subscription price $1.00 a year. Address, The Pearson Publishing Company, 2 to 20 Astor Place, New York.

Among the new books received is one entitled "Uncle Bob and Aunt Becky's Strange Adventures at the World's Exposition." It is by Herschell Williams, and is published by Laird & Lee, Chicago, Ill. It is an introduction of rural characters true to life, and is richly illustrated. In an attractive way the author has produced a humorous work that will be immensely enjoyed wherever the English language is spoken. The book is really an exceptionally welcome addition to humorous literature.

The other day King Edward, of Great Britain, kissed the German Emperor when they met. We wouldn't mind gathering in the Queens and Princesses, but we be drot if we would not fling down our royal scepter and hunt for a jungle rather than buss a bunch of whiskers.

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BRYAN WILL NOT BOLT.

Chairman DeFrance, of the Nebraskan delegation to the St. Louis convention, is alleged to have made a statement that the delegation will bolt if Cleveland is nominated, but will not do so if Parker is the nominee. The delegation will probably vote for Kilborn, of Ohio, but not for Hearst or Bryan, for the latter is in no sense a candidate.

Mr. DeFrance says Col. Bryan will not oppose the voting for Parker by the Nebraskans after the second ballot. He intimated also that Bryan would make his fight on the platform and then gracefully accept the will of the Democracy. Mr. DeFrance also is reported as saying, in an interview:

"The Nebraska delegation will not vote for Mr. Bryan, for he is in no sense a candidate for the nomination. As for Mr. Hearst, he has not a single vote in the delegation. So far as the platform is concerned, I do not think the conservative Democrats will have any difficulty in meeting the Bryan people in an amicable understanding, provided they are willing to make clear, definite declarations that will show our position against corporate greed and special privileges to the trusts. It is this feature that we most insist upon, not the reiteration of the bimetalism plank."

An Associated Press dispatch from Pittsburg, in yesterday's STAR, states that former Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, national Democratic chairman, declared on Thursday that "William J. Bryan will not bolt his party ticket if Judge Parker is nominated for President."

We cannot understand that it will make much difference if Bryan bolts or does not bolt. He cannot carry the State of Nebraska or any other State that he controls, and if Parker is elected it will be by States in which Bryan's influence will not be of much avail. In fact he has hurt the Democratic party and its inevitable candidate more than he can help it at this late day.

Col. Bryan has said all along that he was fighting for a platform and not against any candidate, but he went all the way to New York to attack and weaken Judge Parker in the race for the nomination. We would rather have Col. Bryan supporting the party and nominee than not to do so, but we cannot see that he can do any great amount of good, if the story is true that after all the hullabaloo he has kicked up he will fall into line.

GLENN IN A SKIN GAME.

Mr. Harris, the Republican nominee for governor, it is stated, is hankering after a joint canvass with the Hon. Robert B. Glenn, the Democratic nominee.

Mr. Harris is a tanner but will never get Bob Glenn's hide in his vat. We invoke Marion Butler to tell the Republican standard-bearer what an awful thing it is to go up against Glenn in a skin game.

The nominee of the State Democracy is at home on the hustings. He has had many years of experience on the stump, and in every campaign for years past his clarion voice has rung out from the mountains to the sea. He has spoken to the people all over Eastern North Carolina and we know that no man in the State was more impressive in his appeal for the Democratic cause four years ago.

Glenn is able, eloquent, aggressive and adroit. He is a pastmaster in party lore, makes a thunderbolt speech, is logical in his argument and hits from the shoulder. The fellow that goes up against him will have to be up to snuff, and there are thousands who would walk twenty miles to see him make a Republican cadaver hit the ceiling in approved shape.

With a spellbinder like the Hon. R. B. Glenn on our trail, we would take our old clothes and light out for the woods. We don't want to scare Tanner Harris off the turf, but we are just a warning him that Glenn will do the skinning stunt if he will look after the tanning. It ain't none of our funeral, though.

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— "There's old Hiccough simply pickled in alcohol again." "Yes, trying ta 'preserve his dignity,' isn't he?"—Chicago Journal.

— Scratcher—So you've resigned, have you? Before or after? Scribbler — Before or after what? Scratcher—You were bounced.—New New Yorker.

— It is Mrs. Frances Crane Lillie who asserts that girls should be put into the clothing of the boys And what will the poor boys do?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

— Ah Ping—The foreign devils have a crazy idea that the earth is round. Oh Pong—I could forgive that, but they also think they own it and allow us to live on the under side.—Life.

— Tess: I suppose he surprised you when he kissed your hand. Jess: Yes, and I told him I didn't think he'd stoop so low as that.—Philadelphia Press.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.

Clyde steamer Navahoe, Devereux, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.

Schr Geo E Dudley, Chase, New York, C D Maffitt.

Schr Robt A Snyder, Tinker, New York, C D Maffitt.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Schr Geo E Dudley, 450,000 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co; vessel by C D Maffitt.

NEW YORK—Schr Robt A Snyder, —— feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co; vessel by C D Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., July 2

STEAMERS.

Planet Venus, (Br) 2,820 tons, Kelley, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

St. Oswald, (Br) 1,757 tons, Tindall, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Wm P Hood, 633 tons, Smith, C D Maffitt.

BARQUES.

Inga, (Nor) 548 tons, Aabel, Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—19 casks spirits turpentine, 21 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 22 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 33 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—43 casks turpentine, 101 barrels rosin, 9 barrels tar, 5 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—9 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels rosin, 24 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Tar Heel—42 casks spirits turpentine, 169 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 73 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Black River—13 casks spirits turpentine, 21 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar, 19 barrels crude turpentine.

Larkin's flat—4 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—131 casks spirits turpentine, 361 barrels rosin, 47 barrels tar, 194 barrels crude turpentine.

KIDNEY DANGERS

Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary organs are on the increase to an alarming extent, and often a dangerous stage is reached before the victim is aware of his affliction. Immediate attention should be given to the first symptoms, no matter how slight they may appear. Pains in the back, Dizziness, Irregularities and change in color of urine, frequent desire to urinate, etc., are warnings of nature of a derangement of these important organs.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $2.00, 3.25@3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	131
Rosin	361
Tar	47
Crude turpentine	194

Receipts same day last year—193 casks spirits turpentine, 324 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 145 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, —.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 12c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 12½@30c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

Cotton and Naval Stores.

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

For month of June, 1904.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
189	2,311	7,165	1,383	4,370

RECEIPTS.

For month of June, 1903.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
314	2,339	7,403	1,735	2,962

EXPORTS.

For month of June, 1904.

	Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
Domestic	6	1,702	1,235	1,921	30
Foreign	....	....	....	....	....
	6	1,702	1,235	1,921	30

EXPORTS.

For month of June, 1903.

	Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
Domestic	80	2,063	693	2,544	68
Foreign	5,191	....	....	....	....
	5,211	2,063	693	2,544	68

STOCKS.

Ashore and Afloat July 1, 1904.

	Ashore.	Afloat.	Total.
Cotton	147	....	147
Spirits	721	118	839
Rosin	31,223	623	31,849
Tar	4,345	653	4,998
Crude	372	....	372

STOCKS.

Ashore and Afloat July 1, 1903.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
531	754	34,861	10,132	390

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Money on call was easy at 1½@1¾ per cent.; time loans firmer; sixty days 2@2¼ per cent.; ninety days 2@2½ per cent.; six months 3¼@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.10@487.15 for demand and at 485.25@485.30 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 486 and 488. Commercial bills were 485¼. Bar silver 57¼. Mexican dollars 46¼. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 104¼; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, ex int, 104¼; U. S. 3's, reg'd, ex int, 105; do. coupon, 106; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 132½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 132½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106½; do. coupon, ex int, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's 97; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, ex int, 101¾; Seaboard Air Line 4's 69; Southern Railway, 5's, ex int 115. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 91½; Chesapeake & Ohio 31; Manhattan L 149½; New York Central 114½; Reading 46¾; do. 1st pref'd, 82; do. 2nd pref'd 67; Southern Railway 21¼; do. pref'd 85¾; Amalgamated Copper 49½; People's Gas 97¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 35; U. S. Leather 6¾; U. S. Leather, preferred, 80; Western Union 86¾; U. S. Steel 9¾; do. preferred 55½; Mexican Central 7¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 23; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 95 bid; sales — shares. Standard Oil 628.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 1.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 8½@8¾; do. preferred, 15@16; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 107¼ bid; do. preferred, —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine firm.

CHARLESTON, July 1.—Spirits turpentine firm at 55½c; sales — casks; Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C $3 57½; D, $3 62½; E, $3 67½; F, $3 71½; G, $3 77½; H, $3 97½; I, $3 25; K, $3 35; M, $3 60; N, $3 77½; W G, $4 17½; W W, $4 52½.

SAVANNAH, July 1.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53c; receipts 1,046 casks; sales 319 casks; exports 255 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 3,415 barrels; sales 2,581 barrels; exports 461 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $2 67½; D, $2 72½@2 75; E, $2 77½@2 80; F, $2 82½@2 85; G, $2 87½@2 90; H, $3 07½@3 10; I, $3 45; K, $3 55; M, $3 80; N, $3 97½@4 00; W G, $4 40; W W, $4 75.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The cotton market opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of nine points under moderate Southern selling and liquidation in response to lower cables than looked for and continued favorable weather. Trading was very quiet and during most of the session was of a distinctly holiday character, while prices after a little further loss on some positions gradually rallied on light covering until around midday they were back to practically last night's figures. Later, however, and just before the close, there was active selling by three or four of the most prominent floor brokers which was supposed to be for Southern and Wall street account and the market broke to the lowest level of the day, with July selling at 10.06, August 10.10, October 9.45, and December 8.40; or net declines of seven to fourteen points. The market closed steady at a net decline of five to ten points or within a point or so of the lowest for the session. Sales were estimated at 75,000 bales. The afternoon pressure was due presumably to expectations of a bearish showing by both the government bureau report and the regular weekly report of the Weather Bureau at midday on Tuesday, and the idea among the trade was that certain large operators were increasing their line of shorts in order to take advantage of such a development. Confidence as to the bearish showing of the government's report was probably increased by the rumors of another private estimate placing the condition at 85.9 per cent.

NEW YORK, July 1. Cotton was quoted steady at 10.85c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 206 bales; stock 57,691 bales.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 10.85c; middling gulf 11.10c; sales 18,550 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: July 10.12, August 10.11, September 9.57, October 9.46, November 9.37, December 9.40, January 9.42, February 9.44, March 9.48.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 849 bales; exports to Great Britain 8 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 164,945 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 17,439 bales; exports to Great Britain 28,815 bales; exports to France 10,048 bales; exports to the Continent 13,932 bales; exports to Japan 50 bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,065,210 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,431,610 bales; exports to France 697,354 bales; exports to the Continent 2,547,720 bales; exports to Japan 43,786 bales; exports to Mexico 26,728 bales.

July 1.—Galveston, quiet at 10¼c, net receipts 237 bales; Norfolk, nominal at —, net receipts 10 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11.00c, net receipts 74 bales; Boston, dull at 10.85c, net receipts 25 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 147 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 11.10, net receipts — bales; Savannah, easier at 10¾c, net receipts 208 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 10 1-16c, net receipts 107 bales; Mobile, nominal at 10¼c, net receipts 197 bales; Memphis, quiet at 10¾c, net receipts 24 bales; Augusta, steady at 10¾, net receipts 107 bales; Charleston, nominal, net receipts — bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Flour was dull but steady. Wheat—Spot market steady; No. 2 red nominal. Options closed at partial ½c net decline: July closed 89¾c; September closed 85¼c; December 85¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 53¼. Options closed unchanged to ¼c net higher: July closed 53¼c; September closed 53¾c; December 40¼c. Oats—Spot easy; mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 43@45c. Pork steady. Lard firm; Western steam $7 40; refined firm; continent $7 45; compound 5¾@6½c. Butter steady; extra creamery 13@18c; State dairy 13@17c. Cheese easy; State, full cream, small colored and white, choice, 8¾@8¾c; large white and colored, choice, 7¾@8c. Eggs steady to firm; and Pennsylvania nearby, average finest, 20@21c; Southern 14¾@16c. Peanuts—Market steady; fancy hand-picked 6@6¼; other domestic 3¼@4½c. Cabbages easy; Long Island, per 100, $3 00@3 50; Southern, per barrel crate, 60c@$1 00. Freights to Liverpool-Cotton by steam 13. Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm. Potatoes steady; Southern, $2 75@3 00. Rice steady. Molasses dull. Tallow steady. Cotton seed oil was steady with a moderate trade. Closing prices: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 23c, nominal; prime summer yellow 30¾@31c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 33¾c; prime winter yellow 33@34c.

CHICAGO, July 1. — Antagonistic opinions as to the damage inflicted by rain in the southwest held wheat traders in check to day. Closing prices were practically identical as final figures. Corn was up 1-8c. Oats showed a loss of 1-8c, while provisions are 10 to 22 1-2c. higher.

CHICAGO, July 1.—Cash prices: Flour—Market quiet and steady at quotations: winter patents $4 55@4 65; straights $4 30@4 40; spring patents $4 00@4 70; straights $3 90@4 20; bakers' $2 70@3 20. Wheat—No. 2 spring 93@96c; No. 3 spring 85@95c; No. 2 red 98c@$1 00. Corn—No. 2 47¼c; No. 3 yellow 49¾. Oats—No. 2 37¾c; No. 2 white 42c; No. 3 white —c. Rye—No. 2 64c. Mess pork, per bbl, $12 95@13 00. Lard, 100 lbs, $7 10@7 12½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 25@7 50. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 25@7 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 86¾, 87½, 86¾, 86¾@86¾c; do., new, 85⅝@85⅝, 86, 85@85⅝, 85⅝c; September, old, 82¾, 83½, 82¾, 82¾c; do. new, 81¼@81¾, 81¾, 80¾@81, 81½@81¾c. Corn—No. 2 July 47¾@47¾, 47¾, 47, 47½@47¾; September 48¾@48¾, 48¾, 48¾@48¾, 48¾c. Oats—No. 2 July 37¾, 38, 37, 37½c; September 32½, 32¼@32¼, 31¾, 31½c; December 32⅝, 32⅝, 32¾, 32¾@32½c. Mess pork, per bbl—July $12 85, 13 00, 12 82½, 12 97½; September $12 15, 13 30, 13 33½, 13 25. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $7 00, 7 12½, 7 00, 7 12½; September $7 20, 7 30, 7 20, 7 27½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $7 32½, 7 47½, 7 32½, 7 47½; September $7 65, 7 75, 7 65, 7 75; October $7 75, 7 82½, 7 75, 7 80.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 7c; mild steady; Cordova 9½@12c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5 points and the close was weak at a decline of 15@20 points. Sales 30,000 bags.

July 4th will be observed as a legal holiday and local freight trains will be annulled on that date. Only such through trains will be run as are necessary to handle live stock and perishable freight. E. B. Williamson, Agent, Seaboard Air Line.

How Johnny Recited the Alphabet--

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K L M N O
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FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 1.—Cotton: Spot, in increased demand; prices 14 points lower; American middling fair 6.20d; good middling 6.06d; middling 5.96d; low middling 5.82d; good ordinary 5.68d; ordinary 5.48d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,100 bales American. Receipts 2,000 bales, including 1,500 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and closed steady; American middling (g o c): July 5.77d; July and August 5.71d; August and September 5.58d; September and October 5.34d; October and November 5.21d; November and December 5.16d; December and January 5.14; January and February 5.13d; February and March 5.13d; March and April 5.13d.

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Greater healing power can be had in the privacy of the home by using HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR in the bath than by journeying to the most famous sulphur springs.

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Liquid Sulphur cures dandruff, eczema, pimples, salt rheum, itch, hives, erysipelas and all open sores. It is nature's greatest germicide. Write to Hancock Liquid Sulphur Co., Baltimore, Md., for free booklet, or ask your druggist for HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR.

LET ME SAY I have used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims. Very truly, Rev. H. W. Hathaway, Elizabeth, N. J.

I TRIED Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured of catarrh. The terrible headaches from which I long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 5c cts., or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

Fourth July, via Seaboard Air Line Railway Co.

On account 4th of July Celebration, the Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. will sell round trip tickets to all points south of the Ohio and Potomac rivers and east of the Mississippi river, including St. Louis, Mo., at one and one-third first class fare for round trip, minimum rate 50 cents. Date of sale July 2d, 3d and 4th. Final limit returning July 8th.

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It is superior to Copaiba, Cubeb, or Injections, and free from all bad smell or other inconvenience.

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ELECTION NOTICE!

Take notice that an election will be held in the City of Wilmington on Wednesday, the 27th day of July, 1904, for the purpose of submitting to the people the following issues to be voted upon by them:

1. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the City of Wilmington, N. C.?

2. Whether dispensaries shall be established in the said City of Wilmington, North Carolina?

The polls will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until sunset on the day of election at the following places:

First Ward—Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, J. A. Barnes. Judges of Election, G. F. Quinn, F. T. Skipper.

Second Ward—Old Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges. Judges of Election, W. Sloan Huggins, L. Tate Bowden.

Third Ward—Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins. Judges of Election, C. C. Covington, Jno. C. Boesch.

Fourth Ward—Worth Ice House, Dock street. Registrar, T. G. Pickett. Judges of Election, Geo. D Parsley, H. L. Vollers.

Fifth Ward—Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets. Registrar, W. D. Rhodes. Judges of Election, K. W. Jewell, T. G. Landen.

By order of the Board of Aldermen, this June 6th, 1904.

B. F. KING,
Clerk and Treasurer.

Registration Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held in the city of Wilmington on Monday June 6th, 1904, it was ordered that a registration be had in all the wards of the city for the purpose of allowing voters to register for an election to be held in the different wards of the city on Wednesday, 27th day of July, 1904. To vote upon the following questions to be submitted to the people:

1st. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

2nd. Whether dispensary shall be established in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

The registration books will be open at the following places:

First Ward, Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets, J. A. Barnes, registrar.

Second Ward, Old Court House, W. W. Hodges, registrar.

Third Ward, Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets, A. G. Hankins, registrar.

Fourth Ward, Worth's Ice House, Dock street, T. G. Pickett, registrar.

Fifth Ward, Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets, W. Rhodes, registrar.

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter 750, Acts of 1901, registrars will be furnished with registration books and shall take oath to faithfully discharge the duties of registrars as prescribed by law; shall revise the registration books of their respective wards, so as to show an accurate list of the electors previously registered in such ward or precinct and still residing therein, without requiring such electors to be registered anew; said registrars shall between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. on each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for closing the registration books as hereinafter provided, keep open said books for the registration of any new electors residing in such ward or precinct and entitled to register whose names have never before been registered in such ward or precinct, or do not appear in the revised list; that said books shall be open until 9 o'clock P. M. of each Saturday during such registration period; that said books shall be closed for registration on the second Saturday before election, July 27th, 1904; that on the second Saturday before the election said registration books shall be kept open at the polling place in each ward or precinct to the inspection of the electors of the ward or precinct, and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books, such challenges to be heard and determined as provided for in Chapter 750, Acts of 1901. The registration shall begin on Friday, July 8th, 1904, and close on Saturday, July 16th, 1904.

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XX Century Freezers.

No crank to turn. You simply put in your custard pack with salt and crushed ice in usual way and it does the rest.

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You should get them in ahead of the flies and mosquitoes and avoid trouble.

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50 Boxes Miller's Violet Kisses.
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1,000 Rolls 2-lb. Bagging.
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Sardines, Salmon.
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Crackers and Cheese and Cakes.
Potted Ham, Corned Beef.
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Though Mrs. Mary E. Welborn, of High Point, N. C., is 80 years old and had suffered from rheumatism for 20 years, she was completely cured by RHEUMACIDE, and declares she feels "years younger" and is anxious for "all who are suffering from any of the forms of this dread disease" to try RHEUMACIDE and be cured.

REV. J. R. WHEELER, a noted Methodist minister, of Reisterstown, Md., writes enthusiastically of RHEUMACIDE, which cured him. He is 75 years old and has been in the ministry 50 years.

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Great Bargain Week

My Bargain week begins Monday, June 13, and lasts until June 27th, (two weeks).

Ladies' Collars and Ties, worth 25c for 5c. Ladies' Silk Collars and Ties, worth 50c for 19c.

Our $3 00 ready-to-wear Hats for $1.25; our $2 00 ready-to-wear Hats for 98c; our $4.00 Tucked Chiffon and Molene Hats for $2.00. All our Misses 98c Tuscan Hats for 39c; all our Misses 35c Tuscan Hats for 19c.

I have a big line Silk Lawn and Percale Waists, latest styles, which I will sell at cost. Our 85c Black Duck Skirts at 49c. Our $1.50 Skirts in Voile, Brillianteen, Flannel and Serge $2.50. Our $10 Pean-De-Soie Silk Skirts $6. Our $7.50 Skirts, now $4.98. I have over ten thousand Skirts to be sold by June 27.

All our fine Pa'ern Hats will go at just half price. Lawn Cossoners, full dress length 38c, worth $1. Will sell any Flowers 30 per cent. off marked price. Kid Gloves worth $1 to $1.25 for 55c. All R bbons will go 25 per cent. off. Lace Curtains—Rugs 20 per cent. off. One Pint Jars, Vasolide, 7c, worth 25c; large Jars, Vasoline, 3c, worth 10. This will be the greatest sale of the season. If you wait too long lots of the bargains will be sold.

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Wrightsville Beach, N. C.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF **The Murchison National Bank,**

At close of business June 9, 1904 (Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,152,399 10	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	194,265 99
Bank Building	29,500 00	Circulation	285,000 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	474,621 33	Deposits	1,327,254 43
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Comparative statement of deposits,

June 9th, 1903, $695,907 70. June 9th, 1904, $1,327,254 43.

H. C. McQUEEN, President,

J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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Shoe Polish.

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New Lot Just Received. Wholesale or Retail.

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BARE-FOOT SANDALS.

Size 6 to 8, 75 Cents.
" 9 to 12, 85 "
" 13 to 2, $1.

See us for Shoe specialties.

Geo. R. French & Sons,

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Irvin Wise, who mysteriously disappeared from Durham on the night of June 11th and was supposed to have been murdered and his body secreted, has turned up at Hope Mills, Cumberland county. He is working in the cotton mill there.

— At Asheville on Thursday morning, Floyd Stafford, aged 15 years, fell from the top of a freight train and was run over and killed. He had promised to go to work that day for a farmer, but changed his mind and got on the freight train to steal a ride to Tennessee.

— At an early hour Thursday morning a colored family living in North Durham found a white baby in a basket on their front porch. The basket contained considerable clothing for the youngster. The family turned the child over to the county authorities.

— Raleigh Post: An interesting bit of information is contained in Mr. Pence's story from Washington this morning in which it is stated that ex-Senator Marion Butler has resigned as chairman of the national Populist committee and gone over bag and baggage to the Republican party. Mr. Butler took this step on the eve of the assembling of the Populist convention at Springfield, Illinois, and appointed Mr. Edmiston, of Nebraska, to call the convention to order. One time Democrat, then Populist-Republican fusionist Mr. Butler, farewell! No flowers.

— Marion Butler having returned to Washington from the Republican National convention, states that he is for Roosevelt for President. He tells Tom Pence, Washington correspondent of the Raleigh Post, that he will not enter the campaign a all. He said: "There is no need for my services or those of any other man in this contest. Mr. Roosevelt is going to be the next President and no combination possibly can prevent such a consummation." Butler says if Cleveland is nominated at St. Louis, North Carolina, Kentucky and probably other Southern States will cast their electoral vote for President Roosevelt.

— The North Carolina Board of Agriculture having ordered that a State flag be made from silk fibre produced in North Carolina, State Biologist Gerald McCarthy will purchase first-class unperforated North Carolina grown cocoons at $1 per pound. Those who wish to sell cocoons are asked to send samples of about two ounces and state how much they have to sell. North Carolina silk growers are also notified that the State Fair offers several premiums of $5 each for best displays of cocoons, silk fiber and articles made from North Carolina grown silk. There is also a prize of $5 offered for the best essay on care of silk worms by a practical North Carolina silk grower. Mr. McCarthy will cheerfully furnish any information in regard to cocoons and silk-growing. He should be addressed care of North Carolina Department Agriculture, Raleigh.

— On Thursday afternoon at Raleigh, Will. Allen, a negro 23 years of age, was landed at the station house profusely bleeding from a wound inflicted on his heard by a club in the hands of Policeman I. W. Rogers. Officer Rogers arrested the negro for throwing kisses and making insulting gestures to the officer's daughter, Miss Jesse Rogers. The negro was hotly pursued for six blocks by Officer Rogers, who discharged his pistol during the chase. The negro professes absolute ignorance of waving kisses at Miss Jessie Rogers and vows that the first he knew the policeman had his pistol pointed at him and fired, causing the frightened negro to run. Policeman Rogers took the negro to the station house in a dray. Policeman Alderson helped pull the negro from the wagon and Policeman Rogers, infuriated by the great outrage he had witnessed, gave the darkey a kick as he sent him down the steps into the guard house. However, Capt. Thompson and Policeman Alderson restrained their brother officer and he soon regained his self possession.

— A Goldsboro dispatch on Thursday says: The municipal authorities are conscious of the fact that whiskey is being sold in Goldsboro, as it is in all prohibition towns, and they are exerting themselves to apprehend and bring to justice the guilty parties. Their efforts are meeting with only partial success. Last night Officer Fulghum was on duty in the neighborhood of the city hall, where it is supposed that whiskey is being sold, and during the dead hours of the night the officer walked up on a man who was carrying whiskey into a restaurant operated by Mary Pulley. The man who brought the whiskey in a wagon was just departing from the scene. A negro was carrying the packages into the door of the restaurant. The officer interrupted him and found that there were three two gallon jugs and one five gallon cask, besides a quantity of beer in a sack. Under the circumstances the officer, it is claimed, had no authority to make an arrest or to seize the whiskey, as it is claimed that the city ordinance does not cover the case.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood; but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained fifty-eight pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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Paracamph will give instant relief and effect a cure or put you on the road to recovery, no matter of how long standing or how severe your case may be. Remember, Paracamph is the "First Aid to the Injured" and is for external application, except in case of Sore Throat, and takes the place of many irritating, and often poisonous, internal remedies which are frequently taken to relieve the troubles enumerated above. Paracamph is a combination of refined camphor, and soothing, healing antiseptic oils and is a prescription endorsed by prominent surgeons and doctors now in hospitals and private practice all over this country; it is a safe and effectual treatment for all forms of Congestion, Soreness, Swelling and Inflammation, and when applied to cuts and burns relieves instantly, heals without leaving a scar and always prevents blood poisoning. It cures in a thoroughly natural way and does not affect the nervous system or upset the stomach, and when applied goes through the pores of the skin directly to the seat of the trouble, stops the pain, relieves the congestion by stimulating the circulation and draws out all Soreness, Fever and Inflammation by inducing sweating.

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A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." It's just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

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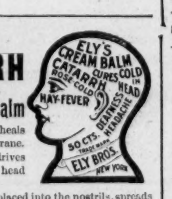

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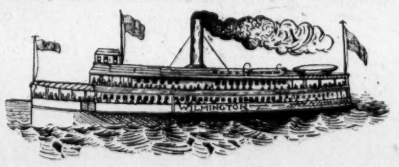

SUMMER SCHEDULE ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH.

Boat leaves Wilmington daily except Saturday and Sunday.	For Southport.	For Carolina Beach. A. M.	For Carolina Beach. P. M.	Leave Southport for Wilmington. A. M.	Leave Southport for Wilmington. P. M.	Leave Carolina Beach for Wilmington.
	9 15 and 11 A. M.	9.15	2 45, 5.15	11.45	2 30	3 30 and 6.00 P. M.
Saturday Schedule	5.00 and 2.00 P. M.	2.00 P. M.		8 00 A. M., 5.00 P. M.		9.00 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
Sunday Schedule	9.30 A. M., 2 30 P. M.	A. M. 9.30	P. M. 2 30, 7.45	4 45 A. M., 4.45 P. M.		P. M. 12.30, 6, .45

Fare on 5:15 Boat to Pier and return 15 cents.
Extra trips will be made to Carolina Beach on special occasions.

je 2 tf **J. W. HARPER.**

Statement of the Condition of the ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK,

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business, June 9, 1904, condensed from report to the Comptroller of the Currency.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 921,770 42	Capital stock	$125,000 00
Overdrafts	1,465 37	Surplus and undivided profits (less expenses and taxes paid)	198,540 56
Stocks, bonds, securities, &c.	313,800 00	National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	30,000 00	Deposits	1,166,221 60
Cash and due from banks	347,726 37		
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*7 00 A. M.	*7 30 A. M.
8 00 "	*8 00 "
9 00 "	*8 30 "
10 00 "	9 00 "
11 00 "	10 03 "
12 00 M	11 00 P. M.
1 00 P. M.	12 00 M.
1 30 "	1 00 P. M.
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8 30 "	9 00 "
9 00 "	10 00 "
10 00 "	11 00 "
11 00 "	12 00 M.

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TRAINS ARRIVING

Arrive in Wilmington.	Arrive at the Beach.
A. C. L. 10 40 A. M.	11 45 A. M.
" 12 30 P. M.	1 45 P. M.
S. A. L. 12 45 "	2 15 "
A. C. L. 1 40 "	2 45 "
" 6 00 "	7 25 "

TRAINS LEAVING

Leave Wilmington.	Leave the Beach.
A. C. L. 8 45 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
" 9 00 "	7 30 "
" 2 25 P. M.	1 00 P. M.
S. A. L. 3 10 "	2 00 "
A. C. L. 6 50 "	5 30 "

Through cars for the Beach will connect with all important trains. In other cases conductors will assist passengers with baggage at transfer points and give any information required.

BAGGAGE.

From	Delivered at Beach.
A. C. L. due 10 10 A. M.	5 00 P. M.
" " 12 30 P. M.	" "
S. A. L. " 12 45 "	" "
A. C. L. " 1 40 "	" "
" " 6 00 "	9 00 "
" " 8 00 "	" "
" " 11 45 "	11 00 A. M.

For	Carried on Freight Leaving Beach.
A. C. L. due to leave at	8 45 A. M. 7 30 A. M.
" " "	9 00 " " "
" " "	2 25 P. M. 11 30 "
S. A. L. " "	3 10 " " "
A. C. L. " "	6 50 " 5 30 P. M
	6 00 A. M. 5 30 "

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Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
10 00 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
4 00 P. M.	11 30 P. M.
8 30 "	5 30 "

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North bound city cars leaving junction at 2.30, 2.40, 2.50 and 3.00 P. M. will run direct to the S. A. L. depot. je 28 tf

Foreclosure's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by A. V. Horrell to Thomas J. Gore, dated the 28th September, 1901, and recorded at pages 247 et seq. in Book 32 of the Records in the office of Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, I will at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1904, at the Court House door of New Hanover county in the city of Wilmington, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the tract of land and premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage situate, lying and being in Harnett township, county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the line of the late William A. Berry, said stake being fifty-nine (59) poles from the beginning of the same Berry's line at Maloney's Swamp, and running thence from said stake south 26 deg, east two hundred and eleven (211) poles to a stake at the edge of the sound, thence with the sound eastwardly to a stake, Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's corner, and thence with the southern line of said Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's north 45 deg W. two hundred and seventeen (217) poles to the beginning, containing 46 acres, more or less.

Dated and posted this 29th day of June, 1904.

THOMAS J. GORE, Mortgagee.

AL. J. MARSHALL, Attorney. je 30 30t

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, } In the Superior Court. Carolina Wise et al. vs. Henry McMillan.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county in the above entitled cause, said action being for the sale of land and premises hereinafter described for division among the plaintiffs and defendants as tenants in common, the undersigned Commissioner will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door of New Hanover county, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1904, at 12 o'clock M. on said day, the following described lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina: Beginning in the southern line of Nixon street at the western intersection of Brooklyn street, runs thence southwardly with the western line of Brooklyn street 150 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Nixon street 75 feet; thence north and parallel with Brooklyn street, 120 feet to the southern line of Nixon street; thence east with the said southern line of Nixon street 75 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1 and 3 in Block 327, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington, N. C. CAMERON F. McRAE, jy 1 10t Commissioner.

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San Francisco, Cal. Triennial Conclave Knights Templars, September 5th and 9th, 1904, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., September 19th to 25th. Fare for the round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $65.25. Date of sale August 15th to September 9th inclusive. Final limit return, October 23rd.

Richmond, Va. Grand Fountain United Order True Reformers, September 6th to 13th. Fare for the round trip from Wilmington, N. C., one first class fare, plus 25cts. Date of sale September 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, final limit return, September 15th.

St. Louis, Mo., National Democratic Convention, July 6th, one first class fare, plus fifty cents for the round trip. Date of sale, July 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, final limit return, fifteen days from date of sale.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect April 17, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 10 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 25 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 05 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 33 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	8 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 59 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 59 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar 3 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 5 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager. jan 10 tf.

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Air Line Railroad.

Schedule in Effect April 17, 1904.

TRAIN 89 Leaves Wilmington 3:10 p. m, arrive Lumberton 5:30 p. m., Pembroke 6:00 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 11:15 a m, Pembroke 12:55 a m, Maxton 1:06 a m, Hamlet 1:50 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 35 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	9 10 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....
Ar Chester	10 30 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 33 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 13 a m
Ar Atlanta	5 55 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 35 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 20 p m	4 55 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 00 p m	9 05 a m
Ar Tampa	7 35 a m	6 35 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	2 30 a m	11 30 a m
Ar Norlina	3 27 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8.00 a m	5 30 p m.
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 23 a m	10 55 a m
Ar Norlina	3 27 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 30 p m	11 25 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 30 a m

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING JULY 2.

LYNCHING IN GEORGIA.

Negro Assailant of a White Woman Taken from Sheriff and Riddled With Bullets by a Mob Near Altoona.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CARTERSVILLE, GA., July 1.—John Jones, the negro who was arrested today and identified as the assailant of Mrs. Oscar Banister, who lives near Alatona, Ga., was taken away from Sheriff Maxwell by a mob said to number over two hundred late this afternoon.

The latest report from the scene of trouble is that the mob had the negro in tow, carrying him toward the scene of his crime which is near the 41-mile post on the Western and Atlantic railroad, with the intention of stringing him up.

LATER—John Jones, the negro assailant of Mrs. Banister, was lynched near the scene of his crime about night fall. Judge A. W. Fite made a speech in an attempt to restrain the crowd of about 200, but it was useless. The negro's body was riddled with bullets, more than five hundred shots having been fired.

THE WORLD'S COTTON.

Total Visible Supply as Shown by Secretary Hester's Statement.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, June 24.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, issued to-day, shows the total visible to be 2,028,803 bales, against 2,120,868 last week and 2,213,979 last year.

Of this the total of American cotton is 1,061,803 bales, against 1,136,868 last week and 1,124,979 last year; and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 967,000 against 984,000 last week and 1,089,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton, there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,176,000 bales, against 1,243,000 last year; in Egypt 110,000 against 31,000 last year; in India 475,000 against 660,000 last year, and in the United States 268,000 against 280,000 last year.

ARRESTED IN ASHEVILLE.

A Citizen of Philadelphia Charged With Contempt of Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 1.—A special from Asheville, N. C., says:

W. S. Taylor, a wealthy citizen of Philadelphia and president of the Mountain Meadow Lumber Company and formerly connected with the Cataloochee Lumber Company, was arrested at the Battery Park Hotel shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon by United States Deputy Marshal T. C. Israel, upon a rule issued by Judge Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court. The receivers of the Cataloochee Lumber Company to-day filed an affidavit with Judge Pritchard to the effect that Mr. Taylor had been guilty of contempt of court in disobeying Judge Simonton, who before his death ordered that the directors, officers and agents of the Cataloochee Lumber Company turn over to the receivers of the said company all books, papers, etc., of the Cataloochee Company.

Judge Pritchard this evening allowed Taylor bail until to-morrow morning, fixing the amount at $5,000, which was made through a local security company.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Memphis, 5; Shreveport, 0.
Little Rock, 9; New Orleans, 0.
Montgomery, 3; Nashville, 8.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, 8; Washington, 3.
Detroit-Cleveland, rain.
Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 13; Brooklyn, 2.
St. Louis, 10; Chicago, 3.
Pittsburg-Cincinnati, rain.
New York, 7; Boston, 1.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Augusta, 1; Macon, 2.
Jacksonville, 6; Columbia, 5.
Charleston, 5; Savannah, 6.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, July 1st, 1904.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending July 1st, 1904:

	1904.	1903.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week...	17,439	18,711
Total receipts to this date.....	7,065,210	7,663,545
Exports for week..	52,845	29,586
Total exports to date.....	5,746,207	6,445,797
Stock in all U. S. ports.....	164,695	244,389
Stock at all interior towns.....	99,431	21,106
Stock in Liverpool,	———	513,000
American afloat for Great Britain...	———	26,000

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1903:

Galveston, 2,333,510; New Orleans, 1,968,168; Mobile, 198,239; Savannah, 1,136,135; Charleston, 155,179; Wilmington, 320,941; Norfolk, 471,567; Baltimore, 28,693; New York, 43,870; Boston, 30,079; Newport News, 15,202; Philadelphia, 13,962; Brunswick, 92,786; Fernandina, 1,050; Pensacola, 123,217; Port Arthur, 55,466; Port Townsend, 28,067; San Francisco, 14,719; Portland, Ore., 1,100; El Paso, 1,100; Eagle Pass, 13,235; Laredo, 19,037. Total, 7,065,210.

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NAVAL ENCOUNTER NEAR PORT ARTHUR

What Should Prove a Decisive Engagement Was in Progress Yesterday Afternoon.

BETWEEN RUSSIANS AND JAPS

Land Fighting at Port Arthur—Russian Accounts—Japs Captured Heights. Kuroki's Advance on Liao Yang. Only Twenty Miles Away.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CHE FOO, July 1, 8:30 P. M.—What should prove a decisive naval engagement was in progress at 1 o'clock this afternoon midway between Che Foo and Port Arthur.

The steamer Che Foo, which has arrived here, passed within fifteen miles of the Japanese fleet, consisting of two battleships and five cruisers, all actively engaged. The Russian fleet was not seen, but the distance of the Japanese from land precludes the possibility of an attack on the land batteries. The captain of the Che Foo says he heard a terrific explosion, but was unable to discern whether a Japanese or a Russian ship was affected.

The battle is held here to confirm the Chinese report that only four of the larger Russian warships were at Port Arthur last night.

Vladivostok Squadron.

LONDON, July 1, 9:08.—Admiral Skrydloff, according to a dispatch from St. Petersburg to a news agency here, reports that the Vladivostok squadron has returned to Vladivostok undamaged. The admiral confirms the bombardment of Gen San.

Fighting at Port Arthur.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 1.—The following dispatch has been received at the war office from General Zilinsky, dated June 30th:

"The following reports have reached here (Liao Yang) from Port Arthur:

"On June 24th the Japanese displayed great activity at all their outposts and in the hope of recapturing the mountains of Wai-Tsel-Laza (?) which had been taken from them, they attacked, but again were repulsed and our troops now occupy the village of Beikhohoon, northeast of Sia-Ping-Tao. The enemy maintained a heavy fire at long range on our left flank from their squadron, which lies in Tallen-Wan bay, in full view of Port Arthur. It consisted of a cruiser, two torpedo boat destroyers and seven merchant ships, which evidently brought cargoes into the bay.

"On the night of June 24-25, the Japanese torpedo boats re-approached the fortress and at 4 A. M. June 26th the enemy began to cannonade from their vessels in Siao-Ping-Tao bay, directing their fire against the whole coast from the bay and then attacked in great force, firstly, Height No. 131; secondly, Height No. 126.

The latter was attacked by a small detachment for this purpose. These two positions were held by our riflemen, who after driving off three attacks with heavy losses retired, and being pressed by the enemy sought refuge on the heights of Loun-Van-Tian. The enemy attacked this position in great force, employing at least a division, but all the assaults were repulsed.

"At 8:30 P. M. the Japanese appeared on the Port Arthur road in great strength and attacked Kwin-Shan (Guin-San Shan). The riflemen who held the heights with two battalions retired. The Japanese turned them from the rear, losing heavily in the manoeuvre. Our torpedo boats were of some assistance to us, advancing on Loun-Van-Tian and bombarding the coast occupied by the enemy.

"Our losses were seven officers and about two hundred soldiers killed or wounded. Our mines exploded at the proper time, blowing up at least fifty Japanese. Their losses were evidently considerable.

"According to the latest advices large columns of the enemy are marching from Dalny towards the village of Suan Tsan Hon and Khonint mountain.

"On June 27th there was a fusillade at the Japanese outposts, due to the Japanese establishing themselves on the summit of Loun Van Tian mountain. Our gunboats proceeded yesterday towards Loun Van Tian and bombarded the shore.

"Yesterday evening the forts and batteries at Port Arthur opened fire on the Japanese torpedo boats."

Japanese Advancing Slowly.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 1.—The Emperor has received the following dispatch from General Kuropatkin, dated June 30th.

"Torrential rains fell in the Ta-Che-Kiao district June 28th and on the roads from Ta-Che-Kiao to Siu-Yen, inundating our bivouacs. The Japanese are advancing slowly in different directions towards our east and south fronts.

"On the south the Japanese are advancing eastward with the object of effecting a juncture with Kuroki's army.

"It has been ascertained by a reconnoissance in the direction of Dalin pass that the Japanese have retired some distance from the positions recently occupied by them. Their covering forces, consisting of several companies, retired after a short fusillade.

"A report from the direction of Feng Wang Cheng, June 29th, announced as a fact that an energetic advance of the Japanese forces had been discovered towards Wa-Fan-Huan and the Lin-Ho-Sin pass.

"The rains continue."

Twenty Miles from Liao Yang.

LIAO YANG, July 1.—General Kuropatkin and General Kuroki are moving their troops like men on a chess board. The Japanese are now twenty miles from Liao Yang. The rains are impeding their movements. Detachments totalling 1,200 men have been detailed from General Bennekampff's Cossacks to scout in thede files and hills, harassing the Japanese and not allowing them any rest, day or night. The Japanese artillery is said here to be commanded by an American. His tall form is frequently seen with the batteries.

General Kuroki's army is extremely active, and the Russians are correspondingly active. The Russian center is being rapidly pushed northwards to a point where Kuropatkin established his base after the battle of Va-Fan-Gow. So far as the Russians know Kuroki is steadily pushing onward through all the mountain passes, even toward Mukden. Preparations at all points are now practically complete. The demonstrations made during the last few days against the Russian left flank threaten to completely change the position of the two armies.

Notwithstanding four days rain the troops are still being moved.

Some Red Cross trains with wounded passed northward June 30th.

TOKIO, July 2.—Vice Admiral Kamimura evidently trapped and attacked the Russian Vladivostok squadron off the Island of Tsu in the southern entrance to the sea of Japan last night. The result of the encounter is unknown.

PRELIMINARY TO THE CONVENTION.

Two Distinct Lines of Operation Developed by Democratic Leaders in St. Louis.

A SCHEME TO RUSH PARKER

And Secure His Nomination on the First or Second Ballot—Another Scheme in Favor of Gorman or Cleveland—The Later Growing.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, July 1.—Two distinct lines of operation developed to-day in the preliminary skirmishing of the Democratic National Convention. One is a scheme to rush the nomination of Judge Parker on the first or second ballot and the other is to scatter the vote and prevent an early nomination with a view of naming Cleveland or Gorman. The friends of Gorman and Cleveland are working to hold the convention for several ballots, in the hope that their candidate would be named. The Gormanmen are not parties to the Cleveland movement nor are Cleveland advocates combining with Gorman's friends. There is no alliance, but it is to the interest of both that the Parker strength be disintegrated as soon as possible.

There are a few men here—men of the old Cleveland guard—who are watching every point and who are in close communication with Cleveland's supporis. They are using the race issue on the Southern men, and with all delegates they use the argument that Cleveland is the only man that the Democrats can elect. The man who is credited with being the head and front and manager of the Cleveland movement, Thomas F. Ryan, will arrive to morrow. Mr. Ryan is a delegate from Virginia and has been identified with the Atlantic Coast Line railroad. He has also been associated with Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall.

Gorman's position is stated to be that he will not enter into any combination to prevent the nomination of Parker unless it means his own selection. Around Gorman is gathered the Maryland, West Virginia, District of Columbia delegations and some other States, with a bare possibility of securing New Jersey and Pennsylvania. It seems now that the control of party affairs will pass to the East, no matter who may be the candidate or what may be the platform.

Strong assurances are given that William J. Bryan will not bolt. It is stated that Mr. Bryan will offer vigorous dissent to the platform and possibly to the candidate; but some Democrats say that in expressing his dissent it is not the intention of the leaders to allow any great latitude to him after his minority report has been rejected.

Practically the only feature of political interest associated with the approaching Democratic convention discussed in the hotel corridors to-day was the possibility of an attempt to stampede the convention to former President Cleveland.

The movement in the interest of Mr. Cleveland so far as it took shape today was directed against the candidacy of Judge Parker. So far no headquarters have been established in Cleveland's interest and no delegates who express a preference for him have arrived, but each train coming in from the States east of the Mississippi seemed to bring passengers who regarded the former president as a formidable possibility. This circumstance led to the conclusion that a systematic campaign had been organized in New York or Washington.

The friends of Judge Parker met the situation boldly and apparently were welcoming it. They freely expressed the opinion that the serious discussion of Mr. Cleveland's name in connection with the Presidency will have the effect of driving many delegates to their candidate. They expect many such gains from the West and South, and notwithstanding he has only about a fourth of the total vote pledged, hope to make such a showing at the very beginning of the balloting as will convince his followers that he is a winner, and thus prevent a stampede to Mr. Cleveland or any one else.

Some of the talk in Cleveland's behalf comes from the Southern States, and the Parker advocates attribute it to the declaration of the Chicago platform on the race question, which they say has inspired such fear among Southern Democrats that they are willing to accept Mr. Cleveland because of their confidence that he would stand with them on that point, regardless of his views on other questions.

It is quite freely admitted that if Judge Parker should fail early to secure the necessary vote his chances would be materially injured.

"If," said a prominent Southern senator, "he fails to get the two-thirds vote requisite by the time that the third or fourth ballot is reached, he will be compelled to retire. In that event the nomination will go to a dark horse, and a very dark horse."

Among the "dark horses," most of the spoken of are Arthur P. Gorman and Jos. W. Folk. John T. McGraw and former Senator Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia, who are among today's arrivals, were outspoken in their advocacy of Gorman, saying that the West Virginia vote would be cast for him from the beginning.

The Platform Question.

Longer in advance than is usual, the platform question is receiving the serious consideration of delegates and others interested in the party's welfare, and it is already evident that there will be a persistent effort to secure an expression of party views which will meet the approval of all factions.

"We must get a pronouncement which will meet the demands of all Democrats," said Representative Clayton, of Alabama, "and I believe it is going to be a comparatively easy matter to accomplish that result."

Other party leaders on the ground expressed themselves in a like optimistic manner. But when they entered upon a comparison of views it became evident that there are differences which will have to be smoothed down before the desired result can be secured.

Evidently the principal contention will be over the point as to whether there shall be a specific declaration favorable to the affirmation of the principles enunciated in the platform of 1896 and 1900. There is already strenuous contention as to whether there shall be any reference whatever to those two declarations and there are many shades of views as to how the subject should be covered.

Some delegates express the opinion that the proposition of the platform will be left almost entirely to Senator Gorman and Congressman Williams, the Democratic leaders in the two houses of Congress.

It is generally believed that the character of the platform will have a marked influence upon the presidential nomination, and as only a majority vote is required for its adoption, its exact wording will be awaited with much interest.

FRIENDS OF JUDGE PARKER

Perfecting Plans for the Complete Destruction of Tammany's Opposition to Their Candidate.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

UTICA, N. Y., July 1.—Former Senator David B. Hill, former Lieutenant Governor William F. Sheehan, Jacob A. Canter, Elliott Danforth and other adherents of Judge A. B. Parker, while en route to the Democratic national convention, are perfecting plans for a complete destruction of Tammany's opposition to their candidate. Senator Hill professed to believe to night that Judge Parker would be nominated on the second ballot if not on the first, and that the nomination would be effected on Friday. It was learned that Mr. Sheehan carries in his pocket four proxies of national committeemen who cannot be present at the meeting scheduled early in the week, and that he expects to use them in perfecting temporary organization in favor of Judge Parker. This will be a great advantage gained for the seating temporarily of delegates from contesting States favorable to Judge Parker will give them the naming of members of the committee on credentials who will make the permanent vote controlling the delegation. The death of the national committeeman from Nevada, it was learned to-day, also removes a vote against Judge Parker's friends on temporary organization.

Mrs. Hall, daughter of Judge Parker, is on the train going to the convention in hopes of seeing her father nominated.

WARM WIRELETS.

Yale won the annual 'Varsity eight-oared boat race from Harvard yesterday.

The budget committee of the French Chamber of Deputies has voted for the suppression of the appropriation for the French embassy at the Vatican.

A special from Lake City, S. C., says the body of Cairo Williams, riddled with bullets, has been found in a bay near Scranton. The lynchers numbered about one hundred and fifty.

The Glorious Fourth.

On account of the Fourth of July, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell round trip tickets July 2nd, 3rd and 4th, to all points south of the Ohio and Potomac and east of the Mississippi rivers, limited for return to July 8th, at one and one third first class fares.

Information as to total rates, schedules, etc., gladly furnished by Ticket Agents of this Company. †

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Wanted—Two travelling salesmen, $75.00 per month and expenses. Los Angeles Cider Co., St. Louis, Mo. jy 2 1t

Y. M. C. A. Swimming Pool opens July 10th. Contains 45,000 gallons of fresh pure water in which to swim. Instruction free of charge to members. Join now. Only $5 per year. jy 1 4t

For Rent—Five rooms, besides kitchen, pantry and bath room, on first floor of one of the most desirable residences in the city. Stable and carriage house. Electric lights; good water and large lot. On street car line. Apply at the STAR Office. je 30 tf

All Aboard for the Beach! Cars every hour on the hour from 6 A. M. to 11:00 P. M. Half hour time, one to nine. je 30 tf

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Take the children to the beach. The nursery—in charge of courteous attendants—makes the Casino an ideal place for family parties to spend the day. je 26 1w

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Free exhibition of moving pictures at the Casino at 9 o'clock every night except Sundays, Mondays and Thursdays. je 21 tf

Mechanics' Home Association, 28th series Building and Loan stock, now open for subscription. Nathaniel Jacobi, President. W. M. Cumming, Secretary and Treasurer. je 21 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Wilkstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Eat at the Dixie Restaurant and grow fat, 117 Princess street. je 15 tf

Would be glad to accommodate a number of gentlemen with good table board at reasonable rates; also two furnished rooms with board. Apply No. 15 North Fifth street. apr 30 tf

Brown Leghorn Eggs, from high bred stock, for sale at 50 cents per dozen. R. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess streets. mar 16 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

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37 Boxes Lemons.

8 23-pound Tubs Butter.

25 Pic-Nic Cheese.

All fresh and nice for Fourth July trade.

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je 29 tf Wilmington, N. C.

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Sunday, July 3rd.

Stopping at Southport en route, by Steamer Compton, another one of those delightful excursions affording an opportunity of riding fifty miles on old ocean and visiting the men who "live on the sea." These trips are growing extremely popular, and our crowds increase every trip. Boat leaves her wharf between Market and Dock streets at 8.30 A. M. Fare to Southport and return 50c. To Lightship and return 50c. For further information apply to

STONE AND COMPANY.
Agents.
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Fresh Shelled Walnuts and Pecans.

Olives stuffed with Celery; such a delicious flavor.

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You know everything is fresh and guaranteed at

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Drug stores have "character." This one has a very high character for "reliability." That is the chief end we have worked for.

Prescriptions are entrusted to us in such great numbers, no doubt, because of the character which our store enjoys among doctors and the public.

Fine Line of Sick Room Goods.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co

Wholesale and Retail Druggists,

Y. M. C. A. Building,

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Hammocks . .

We have an entirely new line which we will sell as cheap as any on the market. Call and see us before you buy.

ROBT. C. DeROSSET,

The Stationer.

my 29 tf 32 North Front St.

REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust and Banking Co., at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 9th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 399,319 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		56 16
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		100 00
Demand loans		55,720 00
Due from Banks and Bankers		23,519 95
Checks and other cash items		455 94
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Gold coin	$10 00	
Silver coin	332 28	
National Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes	635 00	977 28
Total		$481,181 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,849 59
Individual deposits subject to check	385,567 46
Time certificates of deposit	31,778 00
Certified checks	1,498 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	587 45
Total	$ 481,181 50

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, M. F. Allen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. F. ALLEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1904.

JAMES OWEN REILLY, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JNO. H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
} Directors.

je 16 tf

A Word About Butter!

We are selling a most delightful fresh Butter, from the Mountains of Pennsylvania. It is churned on Monday, sent by express to us, and is received every Wednesday morning. It comes in 5-pound pails and 1-pound blocks. We can sell it to you perfectly fresh every Wednesday. As each lot arrives we place it in a refrigerator and keep it hard and sweet until sold.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,

Jno. L. Boatwright, Manager.

'Phone 14 je 10 tf

HAMME, THE HATTER

Still in the lead. Straw Hats, Felt Hats and Caps. Light weight Summer Suits all the rage. Negligee Shirts. Latest styles and lowes prices.

je 19 tf 24 North Front St.

Hot Weather Goods.

We have just received a new line of Strouse & Bros. high art and B. Kuppenheimer & Co.'s two piece Suits in Serges, Crashes and Flannels, suitable for the hot weather. Also a new line of Crown Make Pants in all the latest

Checks and Stripes in Flannels, Crashes and Worsteds.

In children's wash suits we show a beautiful line in white and colors

Men's White Duck Caps and Pants for the Seashore.

Buster Brown Collars for Ladies' and Children.

Blue Serge, Alpaca and Sicilian Coats in all sizes.

Our line of Gents' Furnishing Goods are the newest and up-to-date.

Call on us when you want anything in the clothing line.

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HAVE GONE INTO THE CONTRACTING BUSINESS

They are contracting to cure any and all cases of Malaria and Chills with one 50c box of "Hall's Constructive Pills"

"Or Money Refunded."

They further contract to send goods to any part of the city without extra charge.

"Comp Bicycle Delivery."

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We carry a full stock of

CORN, HAY,

OATS, MEAL,

Flour, Sugar, Molasses,

and all kinds of can goods at lowest prices.

Come and see us or send your orders.

S. P. McNAIR,

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Anything in our large and select stock of drugs and sundries delivered anywhere in the city without extra charge. We have a "triple expansion" bicycle delivery that is unequaled. Open mornings at 7 until midnight.

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No. 107 Princess street.

Prescriptions a Specialty.

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For Sale or Rent.

Furnished Cottage North of Mr Ernest William's Cottage on Wrightsville Beach; 9 rooms, known as Prince's Cottage. Immediate possession given.

SAM'L BEAR, SR, & SONS,

15 Market Street,

Je 26 DAW tf Wilmington, N. C.

18 Wonderful Bargains 18

THIS WEEK

AT GAYLORD'S BIG STORE.

The Store that Saves You Money.

1. 15 dozen Lace Curtains 2¾ yards long, extra quality, this week, 23c each.

2. Almeria Batiste in all the pretty patterns, regular 7c goods, this week 5c.

3. Our regular 12½c Cannon Cloth this week 10c.

4. Our entire line of 12½c pretty colored lawns this week 10c.

5. Our best Dress Ginghams this week 9c.

6. The best 36-inch Percales, the regular 12½c kind, this week, 10 cents.

7. Don't miss that pretty white lawn this week at 5c.

8. Colored spool cotton this week 1c per spool.

9. 3 cakes of good Toilet Soap for this week 10c.

10. Cherry Cottage Poles for this week, with wood fixtures, only 9c.

11. Nice Sea Island Shirting, regular 6c quality, this week, 4½c.

12. 1,000 yards good Bleaching in remnants, regular 7c quality, this week 5c.

13. Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder, this week 10c; only one box to a customer.

14. Children's and ladies' black Hose, this week 5c a pair.

15. 150 ladies' $1.25 Umbrellas, fancy handles and good tops, this week 98c.

16. 15 dozen boys' Summer Pants, this week 15c a pair.

17. Good Turkish Towels 12½c apiece, this week 9c.

18. Mucilage, 3c; Good Ink, 4c; Vaseline, 3½c; Allen's Talcum Powder, 4c.

Big line of Children's Hats, regular 75c value, this week 25c.

Our entire $3.00 Ladies' Hats, this week $1.19.

Second shipment of Hammocks will be here this week; big values for you.

Cotton goods are coming down; we are always on the ground in low prices; good bleaching 8c.

Ladies' Corset Covers, this week 10c.

Mercerized Madras, all colors, this week 10c.

Men's $1.00 Straw Hats, silk bands, this week 50c.

The latest in Men's Shirt Waists, worth $1.00, this week 50c.

All the newest things in Ladies' Belts just arrived.

Ladies' Brown Lisle Gloves, worth 25c, this week 11c.

The Big Racket Store,

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At the Little? Store.

In order to reduce our stock previous to stock-taking August 1st, we offer

Silk Dress Goods, Trimmings, Linens, Wash Goods, Laces, Embroideries, at reduced prices.

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High Quality Fancy Cakes,

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